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This paper is a Reply to the Action dated September 27, 2005 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended, without prejudice, as follows:

- Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins 冈 on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper. 冈